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In re Application of:

YASUTOMO WATANABE

Application No.: 10/617,043

Filed: July 11, 2003

For: PRINTING HEAD AND INK JET PRINTING APPARATUS WHICH PERFORMS PRINTING WITH THE PRINTING HEAD

Docket No.: 01272.020596

Examiner: R. Gordon

Group Art Unit: 2853

January 13, 2005

**Mail Stop Amendment**

The Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Request for Acknowledgment of Claim for Priority and Receipt of Priority Document in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED                              |  |       |  |                         |                  |                   |
|--|--|-------|--|-------------------------|------------------|-------------------|
|  | (2)<br>CLAIMS<br>REMAINING<br>AFTER<br>AMENDMENT |       | (4)<br>HIGHEST NO.<br>PREVIOUSLY<br>PAID FOR | (5)<br>PRESENT<br>EXTRA | RATE             | ADDITIONAL<br>FEE |
| TOTAL<br>CLAIMS                                | 12   | MINUS | 20   | 0                       | x \$25<br>\$50   | \$0.00            |
| INDEP.<br>CLAIMS                               | 2  | MINUS | 3  | 0                       | x \$100<br>\$200 | \$0.00            |
| Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$180°/\$360 |  |       |  |                         |                  | \$0.00            |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE<br>FOR THIS AMENDMENT---  |  |       |  |                         |                  | \$0.00            |

Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.

A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.

Charge \$\_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the fee for a \_\_\_\_\_ month extension is enclosed.

A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF  
CLAIM FOR PRIORITY AND RECEIPT OF PRIORITY DOCUMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 13, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows: